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**Subject**: Circle Ridge - Permit Transfers (Urgent)

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Importance: High

## Dear Council Members:

Please see the attached letter and agreement concerning the transfer of the Circle Ridge Discharge and Injection Permits. In the event Merit and the Tribes are unable to reach an agreement for the continued lease/operation of the field, the parties need to submit to the EPA an agreement for the transfer of these Permits on or before February 16 in order to meet the requisite notice periods. As indicated in the letter, if the parties are unable to facilitate the transfer on or before the termination of the Lease, Merit will be required to terminate these permits, which could result in having to shut in the field. Accordingly, unless you have any questions or concerns, please execute and return to my attention on or before Friday, February 12. I am available the remainder of this week to answer any questions or otherwise discuss this matter.

Sincerely,

**Chad Brister**